

Quick Facts

Smarter Usability, Accessibility and Accommodations

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Online Documents

Smarter Guidelines

http://opi.mt.gov/Curriculum/MontCAS/index.html#p7GPc1_8

Smarter Implementation Guidelines

<http://opi.mt.gov/pdf/Assessment/SMART/ImplementationGuide.pdf>

Smarter FAQs

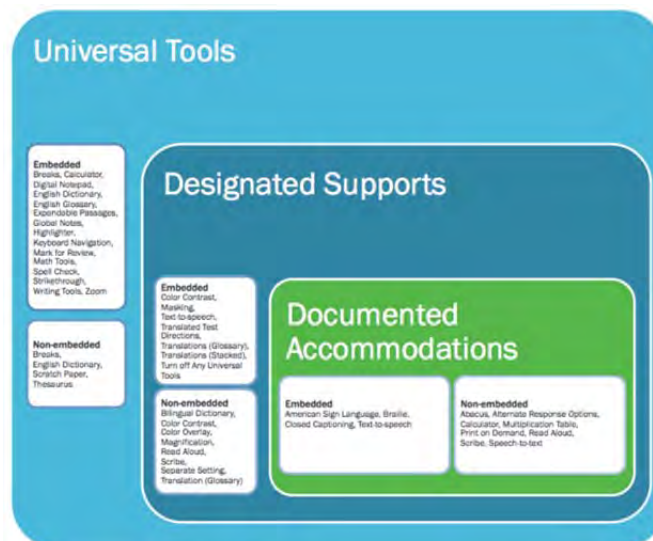
http://opi.mt.gov/pdf/Assessment/SMART/SmarterBalanced_Guidelines_FAQ.pdf

OPI Draft Crosswalk

<http://opi.mt.gov/pdf/Assessment/SMART/DraftCrosswalkCRTSmarterAccommodations.pdf>

TIDE User Guide

http://opi.mt.gov/pdf/Assessment/SMART/14SpringSmarter_TIDE_UserGuide.pdf



- **Six categories of resources**
 - Universal Tools, Designated Supports, and Documented Accommodations + embedded and non-embedded available in each = six categories. The graphic with important details is included in the Smarter documents listed above.
- **TIDE: Registering students for Designated Supports and Documented Accommodations**
 - Test Information Distribution Engine
 - Information will be entered into TIDE at the district and/or school level
 - OPI will provide TIDE information, training, and passwords starting February 17, 2014.
 - It is recommended that each district/school determine who will enter this information.
 - OPI will work with districts/schools to assign passwords
 - Determining which tools, supports, and or accommodations each student will need should begin immediately in order to be ready to enter that information after February 17.
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